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A TO DAY (SATURDAY), 27th August, commencing at 3.30 P.M. Ranges 709 and 800 yards. 10 shots and one sighter at each range. Entrance fee 30 cents. Gentlemen wishing to join the Association are requested to soud their names to the Under-

M. S. NORTHCOTE Hon Secretary.

NOTICE (WEATHER PERMITTING.)

LUM," Captain Murphy, will leave the CENTRAL MARKET WHARF, TO MORROW (SUNDAY), the 28th instant, at 7 A.M., and returning at 6 P.M.

M. E. S. PEREIRA. No. 32, Elgin Street. Hongkong, 27th August, 1898.

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Hongkong, 26th August, 1898. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

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Hongkong, 25th Angust, 1898

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PUBLIC AUCTION: to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION. TO.DAY (SATURDAY), the 27th August, 1898,

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HUGHES & HOUGH. Hongkoug, 25th August, 1898. PUBLIC AUCTION.

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GEO. P. LAMMERT, Hongkong, 24th August, 1898.

IIIE following Particulars and Conditions of Sale of CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUCTION, to be held on the spot, on MONDAY, the 29th day of August, 1898, at 3 P.M., are published for general information. By Command.

T. SERCOMBE SMITH. Colonial Secretary's Office,

Particulars and Conditions of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 29th day of August, 1898, at 3 P.M., by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, of One Lot of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term

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Secretary. Hongkong, 23rd August, 1828, IREAT EASTERN AND CALEDONIAN

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

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September, on which date the Accounts will be By Order of the Board of Directors.

Secretary. [1808] Hongkong, 26th August, 1898. FOR THE MAIL.

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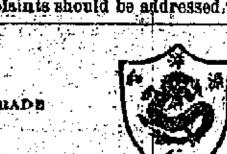
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Aug. 26, Thales, British str., 829, H. B. Bathurst, Foodhow 23rd August, Amoy 24th, and Swotow 25th, General -- Douglas LAPRAIR & Co. Aug. 25, Machew, British str., 996, E. E. Mo-Lellan, Bangkok via Koh-si-chang 20th.

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Szechuen. British str., for Nagasaki. Omi Maru, Jap. str., for Thursday Island. Charon, British str., for Bangkok. DEPARTURES. Aug. 26, ARIAKE MARU, Jap. str., for Kinotzu. Aug. 26, Ask, Danish str., for Holhow. Aug. 26, CHIYODA MARU, Jap, str., for Kobe. Aug. 26, CHIYUEN, Chinese str., for Canton. Aug. 26, Cownie, British str., for Nagasaki. Aug. 26, Else, German str., for Bangkok. Aug. 26, INDEPENDENT, German str., for Cebu.

Aug. 26, Konoura Maru, Jap: str., for Y'hama. Aug. 26, NANVANG, German str., for Manila. Aug. 26, OML MARU, Jap. str., for Australia. Aug. 26. Ox os. British str., for Manila. Aug. 26, Pechili, British str., for Hoilo Aug. 26, Progress. German str., for Canton. Aug. 26, Tameur Maru, Jap. str., for Kobs. PASSENGERS. Per Thales, from Foothow, Mr. C. Moore;

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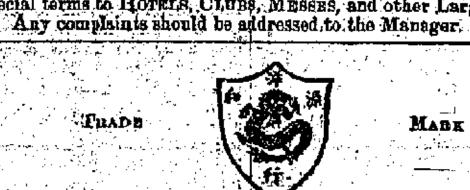
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Honggone, August 27th 1898. THE statement made by Reuter in his message of the 28rd inst. would seem to indicate that the feeling in the United States in favour of the retention of the Philippines is having its effect, on the policy of the Government. Reuter says that there are indications that President McKINLEY is in favour of the retention of the island Luzon only, but nothing definite is as vet settled. We were informed, on the 1st instant, that "the reported intention "of President McKinley to abandon "the Philippines had provoked strong "protests in America." The President has day evening was honoured by the presence now brought himself to the point of favouring the retention of Luzon. It is by no means clear that at the outset, or even when the and was admirably rendered. Mr. Morse's terms of peace were first considered, the retention of any of the Philippines by the gathering" (Lee). Mr. S. H. Somerton sang United States was intended, but events have marched and the necessity for this measure has been brought home to the [(Blumenthal), Mrs. David "Good Bye" (Tosti) Washington Government. They have had time to learn many things since the war | The programme also included a recitation by commenced, and they entered upon hostilities without any idea of acquiring dependencies | farewell appearance at the St. Andrew's Hall abroad as the result of the war. They had on Wednesday next under the patronage of strong sympathy for and no little faith in following ladies and gentlemen have kindly for Canton, Hongkong, and other places, and a man has been sent to No-tai, although we the Cuban insurgents; and they no doubt | consented to assist :- Mrs. W. W. Campbell, imagined the Philippine rebels were patriots of a storner type than was actually the fact. berg, and Mr. S. H. Somerton. With this having been badly explained on to some lill afforded us in accordance with the Treaty They have suffered some disillusion. The array of local talent the last concert of the disposed person trying to make squeezes. Cubans are proved to be not quite so imnuculate as they painted themselves; and predicted. the Americans, on closer acquaintance, the Filippinos rather less they expected. Cuba doubt be declared a republic under the protection of the United States, and the experiment of self-governunsuccessful, Uncle Sam can always step into the breach. The Philippines are 800 to 1,000. This is a frightful cooping up o differently situated in every way. They are mainly inhabited by natives who have no experience in the art of government and who would, if suffered to rule, be in position to retaliate on their former masters, for there will be many Spaniards who will still make Manila their home, having all their interests and worllly possessions there: and the Spanish missions, who have invested large sums in real property in the islands might find small consideration at the bands of a Filippino administration. Moreover. were allowed to try their prenties hands at yesterday was coffee, potatoes and best and soft raising revenue, which they might possibly

rather than from taxes on real estate and

the indigenous population. There is also

the risk-a very real one, we fear-of a

native government getting embroiled with

a toreign power, and being made to

be supposed for one moment that a Filippino administration could long hold out against the demands of say Germany or Japan? Now it is not the desire of the United States to in any way facilitate the schemes of either of these Powers, and if there is any likelihood, either now or hereafter, of their gaining a foothold in the Philippines it will not be by the good will or connivance of the Washington Government. At the same time the United States desire to keep faith with the Filippines by delivering them from Spanish misrule. The American Government have, however, wobelieve, entered into no pledge give independence to the islands, and will not be guilty of breach of faith if they elect to retain one or more of the islands of the Philippine Group. The proposal will probably be that the United States shall annex Luzon, and that the others, the Visayas and Mindanao, shall be placed under native rule but protected by the Stars and Stripes. \$1,844,086; premiums on new policies issued If the experiment proved successful, well and good; if native rule proved unacceptable, or corrupt, or inept, it might be discarded after a fair trial and the whole group governed from Manila again. But an experiment will have to be made, and one of the nature above sketched out will pro-

American cousins, they will find able men to carry out their policy to a Trade Mark ...... 10.80 successful and beneficial conclusion, sustaining to the full the Anglo-Saxon reputation for colonisation and administration.

whetever course is adopted by our

page the price of meat is given per lb. instead of per cutty as formerly. Commander Hastings had nine men before him yesterday for gambling at Aberdeen, and

In the market list published on our fifth

he imposed upon them fines of \$25, \$10, and \$2. An excursion will be run to Macao to-morrow by the Kwai Lum, which will leave the Central Market Wharf at 7 a.m., returning from

Macao at 6 p.m. The prospectus has been published at Shanghai of a new local Company, the Shanghai Ice, Cold Storage, and Refrigeration Co., Limited, with a capital of Tls. 100,000.

At the Magistraev vesterday a coolie was fined \$5 for assaulting another coolie. During the hearing of the case he made use of the word "barbarian," for which offence Commander Hastings fined him another \$5.

A Chinese junk owner who was charged with keeping a number of pigs on board his junk in such a manuer as to cause them needless pain | had not a very long stay in the archipelago, but | we heard many rumours concerning the plans was fined \$26-\$2 each pig-by Commander while they were there they had a fairly lively of the Triads, nothing more alarming than the Hastings at the Magistracy yesterday.

The suits instituted at Shanghai by the Bank of China against certain large native shereholders with respect to unpaid calls on their scrip, which were set down for hearing on Monday last, have been postponed, owing to the Taotai's indisposition.

Telegraphic communication with Panar (Hoile). Negros, and Cebu has been reestablished, but it is notified that telegrams <sup>24</sup> for places in Luzon, other than Manila, cannot at present be accepted. This looks as though the insurgents were keeping the country dis-

A Japanese employed in a lodging house at Upper Lascar Row, died in the Government Civil Hospital from injuries received the day before. He had got out of the window for the urpess of sweeping the sunshade over the front door when he missed his hold and fell. fracturing his skull. He was taken to the Hospital and, as stated before, died yesterday

The Japanese Consulate at Foodhow was opened on the 10th August, Mr. Acting Consul Sutomatsu Teshima assuming charge Some land has been purchased by the Japanese below the Ice-house for the erection of merchants' offices and godowns. There is some talk of their having a railway from this point on Nantai to Pagoda, but it is thought improbable that the matter will go any further than talk.—Echo.

fishermen had the other day at To Kwa Wan | We watched one another for two or three days | day were overtaken by a runner who told us they all appeared before Commander Hustings and then an agreement was come to between that the attack on the market had taken place at the Magistracy yesterday, one of them General Merritt and Aguinaldo, the agreement he remarked to one of defendants, "You owe affairs outside the city and that the insurgents mo some money; you had better let me have should not come into the city armed. cheek and the other hitting him on the right | thing for them and our boys to be seen drinkloin with an oar. Defendants were each jug together."

The concert given by Mr. T. V. Twinning at the Peak Hotel on Thursof His Excellency Major-General Black and large attendance of the elite of the colony The programme was an exceptionally good one contributions were "Life's Lullaby" (Lane) "La Screnata" (Tosti), and "The Macgregor's the cavatina by Donizetti, "My fame at stake lies in it." Mrs. Buttanshaw "When the heart is young " (Buck) and " Venetian Boat Song and Mr. A. C. Van Nierop "So fare thee well (Cellier) and "Ohlhow I love thee" (Parry) Mr. H. E. Pollack and two pianoforte solos by Mrs. J. H. Bathgate. Mr. Morse makes h Mrs. J. H. Bathgate, Mr. C. H. Grace, Mr. C. Lammert, Mr. Van Nierop, Mr. Emil Danensories should prove even a greater success than any of its predecessors and a record house is | GhEAT EASTERN AND CALEDONIAN | now, however, deemed advisable that the matter

Judging from what appears in the Hawaiian Gazette of July 26th, the American troops on board the Peru would not have a very pleasant voyage to Manila. Our contemporary remarks:-"There are more than 900 passengers. There should not be more than 500. A measurement has been made of the air allowance on the bunk ment will be tried in the island because, if | deck below. Each man has about seventy cubic feet, as against the tenement house minimum allowance of 200 and the garrison allowance of nen. The bads themselves are of woven wire. There are mattresses. The mattresses are to be done away with hore. This will help a little-The overcrowding should be remedied. It is dangerous. It is shameful. The mon can sleep very little. In the double bunks, and there are but few single ones, two men are simply packed together. Some of the soldiers get to the decks above at night, but there is not room for many of them Neither Aciatic coolies nor blackbirded Polynesians have been bedded in vessels on this opening are these men in the service of the United States Government. The men on the Peru have poor food, carelessly cooked and there is not enough of it. The galley for the 9 0 men it not the size of a private boarding house kitchen. It is close to the living place foreign trade might suffer, if this patives of the Chinese prew. Dinner for the men bread. This is better than they had ut sea. It is told as a fact that for a couple of days after prefer to get from Customs and snipping dues | leaving San Francisco pork was served when boof should have been and that fresh beef became enailed and was thrown overboard. Men other sources which would be unwelcome to tell of trying to get enious, of steeling them. and that later the vegetable was thrown overboard by the bag because rotten. Then there is no "passing the plate." The Peru has forty arising. For Scrofola, Scorvy, Eczenn, Bad d.ega

A water pole match will be played this afternoon at 5.30 sharp between H.M.S. Plover and the V.R.C. The following will represent the V.R.C. :- Goal, R. Henderson ; backs, T. Meek and A. A. Alves, half-back, A. E. Alves forwards, J. Hance, C. Hauce, and E. Herbst.

The aquatic sports in connection with the Victoria Recreation Club will take place on September 6th, 7th, and 8th, the following being the programmes:---1st Day.-Club championship (3 lengths Plunging. Four lengths (handicap) army, navy and police; non-members. Members' race lengths, handicap). Team race. 2nd Day.-Championship of the colony lengths). Members ruce (over 30 years of age) 2 lengths, handicap. Swim under water. Boys race (under 15 years of age). Water polo.

3rd Day.—Members' race (2 lengths, handicap). Running header from spring board. Consolution race. Tub tournament (in fancy cos-

tume). Water polo.

We have received from Messrs. Dodwell Carlill & Co., the agents, an abstract of the annual report of the Standard Life Assurance Co for 1897. The following results were communicated in the report -Amount assurances accepted during the year 1897 (for which 4,738 policies were £71,054; claims by death under 927 policies during the year 1897, inclusive of bonus additions, £575,169; claims under endowment assurances matured during the year 1897, 67 policies, inclusive of bonus additions, £31,012; subsisting assurances at 15th November, 1897, cumulated funds, £8,804,722.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS, [SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."

THE WEST INDIES. The West Indies are wholly dissetisfied with the proferred Imperial assistance, and Jamuica is preparing a plebiscite on the question, petitioning Great Britain to sanction annexation to the United States.

LONDON, 21th August

SOUTH AFRICA.

Mr. Rhodes has been elected by an overwhelming majority for Namaqualand. The success of the Africander Bund is regarded as assured. The Times blames Sir Gordon Sprigg for making "British supremacy" the buttle cry, | prefecture, has been committing many crimes. RUSSIAN CROPS.

The Russian crops have again failed and partial famine in the winter is certain, AMERICAN REGULARS IN

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WHAT THEY THINK OF THE FILIPINOS. week she brought with her half-a-dozen soldiers I soldiers had been located there and being well belonging to the U.S. regular army, their larmed were able to beat back the Triads, who H. D. Limbocker, George Lumb, Charles Mc. | fleation in Tai-wang-shan.

the thick of the operations of the 13th of perced. Later word came from the interior with these operations have been pretty well the district called Leng Shui, and had joined written up, but there is some divergency in the | thomselves to those already in Tai-wang-shan. accounts of the conduct of the insurgents It was also reported that a hand of pirates from on that occasion, and with a view to get. the seashore had reinforced the Triads in the ting at the facts one of our representatives hills. Still later it was reported that the Triads waited upon Privates Brightwell and Harris had quarrelled among themselves and had scatthe other day and asked them for their version. | tered. This last report we found was one Said Private Brightside: "We were fight- spread by the Triads to prevent the natives ing an hour and a half after the white flag had | from sending out of the district their remove-

"Where were the rebels all this time?" "Oh, they were scattered around outside and all around the market and about the neighbourwere crowding into the city. Their main line | ing markets and that the Triads were forcing

ing. In fact they were more trouble than they | the 6th moon, we heard from reliable sources were worth, being so much in our way. They that six hundred men were encamped in a kept running here and there. They are no market called Lok-ki, 18 miles to the north good for fighting. They don't know how to of No tai, that they were well provided with shoot. When they shoot they hold out their larms and amminition; and that they gan and turn their heads away. They pull the were planning to attack the market in a few trigger and then turn round to see if they have days. The Commandant requested us to send

"A good number of them got into the city at once, he providing an escort. On the mornvith their arms. Aguinaldo being with them. "They were ruffled because General Merritt would not let them have their own way when and burning villages, killing villagers, and capthey got into the city, and on the evening of turing the children. On the 26th we received the 13th they put up barriers in the streets egainst the Americans. Againaldo said they did on the market was planned for the next mornthis because they were afraid the Spaniards ling, and because of threats made by the Triads would attack them, but this was all rubbish. It was really because they were mad at us for | we did, the official providing us with escort for keeping them from sacking the place. "We also erected barricades against the re- passed within short distances of villages where As the result of a quarrel which three bels, ours being about 200 yards from theirs. | they were looting and burning and the next

charging the other two with assault. He said providing that Aguinaldo should manage some fish," whereupon they both set upon him, | "We were soon on good terms with the local militia instead of fighting the thieves one striking him with his fist on the right | Spaniards. Before we left it was a common

> MACAO. [PROM OUR CORRESPONDENT,]

Macao, 26th August. I hear that a syndicate is being formed for the rebuilding of San Domingo Market, which was burnt down some years ago. I believe, however, the movement is only a furce being played in view of the approaching Leal Senado

ill fame have been published in a supplement to reach him, must give way, and that means that the Boletim Official, and the effect has been that our property must go. Soldiers have been the inmates have taken fright-many have left sent to the neighbouring market, but not one number of the houses have been closed. There have repeatedly rest out word to the is nothing in the regulations to justify this Taotai giving him the facts of the case, alarm, which must be due either to the rules and demanding that adequate protection be

GOLD MINING CO., LIMITED.

The following report has been received from the manager at the mines, per Tokio Maru:--.

and the gold cun be seen freely. of 93 feet 6 inches from the old brace. The the rioters. reach the required depth.

Bank of England.—The contractors have suck this shaft a further depth of 7 feet, inrush of water just like at the other mines. but it does not interfere with the progress of the work. This floor might alter the course of the reef a little, but it is too early yet to form an opinion. We continue to raise good stone Caledonian Mine.—The drive for the reef has been extended to 48 feet and we expect to out it at any time now.

Dam .- The water is rising steadily. Surface Work.—The timber for the office has arrived in Woodstock and weshall commence with the erection next week.

"FOR THE BLOOD IS THE LIFE"-Clarke's World famed kilood Mixture is warranted to cleaned the blood from all impurities from whatever cause wash basins for the whole of the men. This Skin and Blood Dissues Pimples, and Some of all received information that the Triads are three. The Mutual steamer Ocasiz from Swanses is all the men wash clothes as best they can kinds he piece are marvellous. Thousands of tening to take our compound how as their base and Liverpool passed the Canal on the life drinking water on the ship is bad, in that wonderful maps have hear storaged for a fortained and to take our point and may be considered that wonderful maps have hear storaged for a fortained and to take our point and may be considered that wonderful maps have hear storaged for a fortained and to take our point and may be considered that wonderful maps have hear storaged for a fortained and the first manual storaged that the storage of the s

RISING IN HAINAN.

NARROW ESCAPE OF POREIGNERS

MISSION PROPERTY IN DANGER.

FROM A CORRESPONDENT.] Canton, 26th August The British Consul, Mr. Butler, at Kinng chow, has requested the American Consul, Di Bedloo, at Cauton, to urge the Viceroy to sensoldiers to Nodes, near Heihow, to protect the lives and property of American missionaries in that district.

and Rev. W. J. Leverett, of the American Presbyterian Mission in the island of Hainan were obliged to take their family and fly for their lives from Nodon and seek the protection i port." of the British Consul at Holbow. 🦃

The reports just received here of the rebellion in Hainan indicate a renewed success of the Trind Society, a band of thieves and rebels who have been increased and strengthened by a hungry horde of pirates from the sea coast, and this lawless army have committeed many depredations by looting and burning a number of villages in the Hollow country. The British Consul, Mr. Butler, appealed to the Taotal on the 19th inst. to protect the threatened Americans and accordingly a company of soldiers £23,919,754; annual revenue, £1,123,013; ac- were sent to the scene of strife and they succeeded in rescuing the missionaries and their families, and escorted them from Nodea, in the Fine Insurances .- Both Hongkongs and leaving all their property to the care of the Chinese officials.

> To-day Consul Bedlee notified the Viceroy of the conditions in Hainan and requested His Excellency to immediately telegraph peremptory orders to the officials in the disturbed district to disperse the rioters and protect the lives and property of the Americans under Section 11 of the Treaty of 1858.

A letter received to-day from one of the American missionaries in Hainan to a friend in Canton requesting him to appeal to the American Consul Bedloe says :-"The Triad Society, in and about Nodon market, in the Tamohow district, Kiungchow Some three months ago, at the first uprising of the rebels, the Chinese mandarins made a boid resistance and drove the insurgents out of the village, but a number of the rebel leaders escaped to a mountain about 15 miles from the American mission chapeland for tified themselves there. On the 2nd of the 6th moon having been reinforced by a band of thieves from Tamchow district, they made an attack on the neighbouring market When the Zafira entered the harbour last of Nodos. A command of over a hundred

names being W. R. Brightwell, J. L. Harris, after a short struggle, returned to their forti-Grath, and George Kelley. They landed here "On the 4th of the same (6th) month the and are awaiting a vessel to take them across to | Chinese Commandant went out with his soldiers San Francisco, they having been invalided to attack the rebels, but did nothing more than home. They formed part of the third expedi- | drive them out of a village and capturing one tion to the Philippines, and consequently of their flags and a few prisoners. Although time. They were in at the brush which took | looting of a few villages took place for over ten place on the evening of July 31st and were in | days, and it was reported that they had dis-August. By this time the details in connection | that two hundred Triads had crossed over from

able wealth. In a few days it was known that secret meetings of the society were being held the people to join them, providing them with "They did not take much part in the fight- | money and arms. Finally, on the 24th of our wives to some place of safety, which we did ing of the 25th the outbreak took place, as was planned. The Triads commenced by looting word from friends in the society that an attack against us, advised our leaving at once, which part of the way to Hoihow. On the way we

> "Sunday, August 14th-(6th moon 7th day).-Later particulars were that early Sunday morning 700 men had attacked the market, that the joined them, and with them fought the local commandant: but the commandant was able to beat them off, the Triads losing 18 men and

> a few flags. A later letter brings information that the Triads withdrew, but are threatening another attack, and the commandant has sent out asking for immediate reinforcements statiog that he fears that his soldiers cannot hold out. "The official in No-tai gave us repeated assurance that he would protect our property and our lives as long as he was able to do so, and for this purpose he sent soldiers into our com-

pound, who remained there on guard for about a month, and during several nights Complaints of inattention at the Post Office | before we left, and while the outbreak was here are rife, especially on the part of ladies. hearly expected, he had soldiers near us all day, who say that instead of being attended to and he himself came at night and kept watch. promptly when they have occasion to go there On leaving we gave the property over into his they are often kept waiting fifteen or twenty care, and into that of the headment of the minutes. This shows great impoliteness on the market, who acknowledged themselves responpart of the staff, but I am sure the Postmaster | sible for the same. The local official has done cannot be aware of the existence of ground of all he could, but having a force of a hundred odd men he will be unable to stand out any New regulations for the control of houses of | length of time, and, nuless reinforcements of 1858. In this matter Mr. Butler, British Consul here, has kindly acted for us. It is be brought to the attention of the Viceroy, as the officials here will attempt to minimize the trouble in order to save themselves, and they also throw back the responsibility on the Viceroy Great Eastern Mine.—The drive on the roof by saying that they cannot not without orders north has been extended 12 feet, making a total I from Canton, and we are told that in the same distance of 38 feet. We shall cut the junction | way will the Vicercy throw the responsibility mentioned in my last now very soon, as the on Peking and say that he cannot act without reef is getting wider. We expect to be in clean orders from there, so that we are advised that quartz in a few feet. The gold value of the the rebellion should be reported to our U.S. Consul at Canton and also to the Minister at Zulu Main Shaft.—The shaft has been sunk once, and their co-operation secured. May we to 153 feet, and after the sinking of the usual ask of you then that you will request Consul well-hole, we shall start driving on the reef | Bedloe to demand of the Viceroy that, there north and south. The reef is as rich as ever, being a band of thieves near to where our property is located, and threatening it, he Rise and Shine.—The contractors have put will at once send in a force of soldiers the shaft down 13 feet, making a total depth sufficient to quell the disturbance and punish

ground is good for sinking and we shall soon | "The facts are these: Eight hundred Triads are banded together in and about No-tai. They have twice attacked official troops, neither side scoring any success. The official troops are making a total depth of 72 feet from the old not sufficient to attack the Triads. The whole brace. Through cutting a floor we had an country is in sympathy with the Triads and will join them as they see their chances of anccess increasing. The presence of the official troops has not deterred the I rieds from rebelling, but instead their numbers have grown. Five handred soldiers have gone in from here, but they are coolies who have never borne arms before and cannot be depended upon; over a hundred of them have already on Phursday, the 25th instant.

> "We ask you then to appeal to Consul Bedlos | left Singapore for this port on the 25th to send to Poking asking that our Minister instant, and may be expected here on or about will also push the case and secure at once the Blat instant. homes and prosecute our work. "P.S.-Since, writing the shore we have Srd Saptember.

will be necessary for the officials to bombard the place to get them out. The only hope is that the Taotal here will get reinforcements in time | CRICKET, H.M.R. T. PRACCICK " V. OUBTOMS. to save it. This is unlikely. The officials here ... A good afternoon a sport was arranged on the seem willing enough and are certainly doing all 24th by the members of the Customs Staff they can, but they have only 1,000 soldiers and here, who took the opportunity of inviting have the 000 this was to contend with, and have to H.M.S. Peacock to play a cricket match after look after the whole island of Halnan and the her arrival at this port. A good breeze prevailed,

Linchow Peninsula as well, so that unless though the sun was intensely but. The Peacock | Ambassador, that as a bisis of any negotiations the Vicercy at Canton can be made to send rein won the toss and had first innings. They for peace they will require the absolute cossion forcements they can do nothing more than they played well, with 89 as their total score, Lieuts. of all the Spanish West Indian Islands save have done. So far they are to be commended Jellicos and Jordan scoring 45 and 19 respect. Cubs. It will be necessary for Spain to for their efforts, but they must be supported by lively. higher authorities. Consul Butler is sending | Swatow's team were playing at a disadvantto Consul Bedlee to day the correspondence that lage owing to the absence of one or two of their has passed between him and the Taotai. Our best bowlers, the result being that the Peacock thanks are due to Mr. Butler for his kindly won easily. Swatow's total score stood at 48, It appears that Rev. Dr. P. W. McClintock and timely assistance. Should the thieves beat Messrs. O. Sullivan, Winny, and Tipp making back the soldiers, as seems probable, they will the highest scores. work out towards Holbow, and in that case we may need assistance or protection from a man-of-war, as will the other foreignors in the and German Consuls, the commander of the

THE HONGKONG SHARE MARKET.

Mr. J. Y. V. Vernon in his weekly share report, dated 26th August, says BANKS. - Hongkong and Shanghais have changed hands in small lots at 203 per cent prem, for each and settlements, market closing quiet at that rate. Nationals have found buyers

MARINE INSURANCES - China Traders and Unions have been on offer during the week at quotations without sales. Cantons have been orquired for and have been placed in a small way at \$180. Straits and the Northern In surances continue newlected and without busi

Tamehow district of Kiungehow, to Holhow, Chinas remain on offer at quotations without any business to report. SHIPPING.—Hongkong, Canton and Macao have ruled quiet with sellers and but very for sales at 325. Indo-Chinas are in the market a

\$554 without inducing buyers to come forward Douglases have changed hands at \$58. Chin Monilas continue out of the market with no buyers at quotations. China Mutuals without change or business. REFINERIES - China Sugara have been dealt in at \$161 and \$160 cash and at \$168 for

December 31st, cum dividend, market closing miet at \$155 ex dir. Luzons unchanged and ithout business. MINING.—Punjoins have ruled steady

55.25 to \$5.35 with a small business. Charbon-

pages continue out of the market. Jelebus have changed hands at quotation, also Ranbs, both in small lots. Balmoral proferences have been enquired for at 221 cents, but few shares have changed hands and they are now wanted a 25 cents. Olivers have been negotiated in lair lots at S6 and \$3.40. DOCKS, WHARVES, AND GODOWNS.-Hong ong and Whampoa Docks have ruled stead with small sales for cash at 259 per cen premium cum and 243 per cent, premium ex liv, closing quiet at 243 per cent. premium on time sales are reported at 270 cum div. fo December and at 265 for October. Kowloon Wharves have been in some demand and a

LANDS, HOTELS AND BUILDINGS.-Hour kong Lands remain neglected at \$67. Hotel have been and are on offer at 253 without finding buyers. West Points and Humphreys Estates continue neglected at quotations. COTTON MILLS .- With no local business he Shanghai quotations are given... Hongkong oftens could probably be placed at quotation

few shares have found buyers at \$58; and \$59

for cash. Wonchmis unchanged and without

MISCELLANEOUS .- Green Islands continue out of the market. Watsons have changed hands at \$1185, Star Ferries at 38.25 and 38.30, China Providents at 391, and Fenwicks

THE GYMKHANA.

The following is the programme for this ffernoon's Gymkhana :--ISTANCE HANDICAP, one mile, for all horses and ponion; no whips or spurs allowed; first prize, a cup presented from the gymkhana fund 2nd \$10 3rd 85. dr. G. K. H. Brutton's Australian Horse,

Mr. W. J. Gresson's Black Dence, 10st 121ba Mr. D. Landale's Patrol: 10st 12lbs. Mr. G. C. Mozon's Merrimae. 12st .. Mr. J. S. Bruce's Why not, 11st 21bs. Vicerov. Hat 7lbs Do.

Mr. T. L. W. Allison's Dun, 12st Olb... Mr. G. C. Moxon's Sentiago (Manila pony), 11st UG OF WAR ON HORSEBACK teams of four best of three pulls : four teams to enter event become void; no whips or spurs allowed; post entries. Entrance free. ADIES' NOMINATION: ball and bucket race The rider will pass the lady at full speed outside the chalk line, the lady standing within the allotted space; the lady will throw a polo ball to the rider whilst he is passing, which he should catch and drop into a backet further on without lessening his spood, points will be given for the catch, bucket, and speed; three runs; first prizes presented by C. Bourmann, Esq. ; 2nd prize presented from

the Gymkhana Fund. UG OF WAR-let HEATS; open to teams of 8; each team to represent a distinct unif of the. naval or military forces, or the Hongkong PRIENDLY RELATIONS OF AMERICA WITH Police; to be pulled in service boots: no spikes or nails allowed-no holes to be dug; first prize, \$45; 2nd, \$18; four teams to compete or no second prize; post entries. En-

UMPING COMPETITION; open to China ponies, ever series of jumps selected by the working committee: lat prize, a cup presented from the gymkhana foud; 2nd, \$10; six entries or event becomes void; post entries. Entrance

UG OF WAR-FINAL HEAT. Poto Bath Rack; to hit a polo ball from opposite the wirning post on the inner race course, down the course, round a post, and back through a goal entries to be made in pairs; each one of a pair to bit their polo ball in turn. To be decided in heats. Three pairs to start in each heat; post entries entrance free. Prizes presented from the gymkbana fund. ADIES' NOMINATION; competitors will start

dismounted from a given point on the raccourse: mount and ride to nominator, who will stand outside the rails on the inner course dismount and receive from nominator biscuit and bottle of soda water; eat biscuit and open the bottle and drink the gods from out of the bottle; hand empty soda water bottle back to nominator. Mount and rid round a past, leaving it on the left hand, and back past winning post; first past post hav-ing eaten his biscult and drunk the whole of his soda water, wine; no saddles, sureingles whips, or spurs allowed; post entries; entrance free. 1st and 2nd prizes presented by R. M. Gray, Esq.

A CAPTIVE FRENCH PRIEST.

Shanghai, 22nd August. A telegram has been received here from Chang ing, Szechnon, concerning Father Fleury, the French Priest of the Missions Etrangeres. whose station was recently destroyed and whose native assistant priest was murdered by Klang peh men. The message states that the reverend gentleman, although still a prisoner of the rebels, was perfectly safe. He is allowed to occasionally go out by day, but is then always strictly watched, and at night is looked up The rebels demand a very heavy ransom ere thoy will release him. He states that he is of personal liberty. Negotiations for his to missions. lease are in progress, but they are necessarily of a very delicate nature. Mercury.

LATEST SUFAMER M. VEMENIS. The M. M. steemer Lacy, with the next French mail, left Saigon this morning at 5 Auto for this port.

The steamer Glanshiel from Middlesborough, London, and Straits, left Singapore for this port Tho H. A. L. steamer Alesea, from Hamburg, and mey be expected here on or about Saturday,

SWATOW.

The match was witnessed by a number of spectators, including several ladies. The British Peacock and Dr. Cantlie were among those

present. The teams were as under :--H.M.S. "PEACOOR." SWATOW. Mr. Lanning Mr. O. Sullivan Lt. Jordan Renter Mr. Williams Toms Mr. Winuv. Johnstone Mr. Tipp Mr. Kaller Cook Cause Mr. Dawson Commissioner Lay Core Mr. Slade Tozer Mr. Hemlin Rev. Steel, M.A. McBain, of H.M.S. Peacock, and Mr.

NEW CHWANG.

from Hongkong, took the respective

The Russians have about 25,000 soldiers be tween Newchwang and Port Arthur. They have landed over a hundred new big guns a Port Arthur and are building up forts, etc. very quickly. A large number of Chinese and Russians are at work on the forts, wharves, etc. at both Port Arthur and Palienwan, whilst the dock at Port Arthur has been enlarged. I saw over two hundred men making canvas tents for the men who have not got houses. Wherever one goes now one finds Russian soldiers all over the country, both on the main road and inland and surveying for the railway is going on in various places. When the railway is completed Russia, to judge by all appearances, will make another important stop forward. They have about thirteen men-of-war now guarding their new acquisitions between Port Arthur and

Amongst other arrivals at this port I have to notice the Japanese steamer Seitoku Maru from Muroran with a quantity of railway deepers. This is the first instalment, as I understand, of the plant for the Rossian Reilway Concession The vessel arrived last Sunday, the 14th just, and the man. agers of the railway. Messrs. Gnirchmann and Titoll, were very anxious to have the cargo discharged at once, but I suppose the holiness of the day did not allow such extraordinary Russian Government further offered to advance privileges even to the representatives of the a larger cum to the Shah. It is necessary to record that on the follow-

ing day the Scitckii Maru steamed to the east

of this port and is now discharging her cargo about two miles outside the limits of the port at a place called Takuantan, where a locale has been fixed upon by the managing engineers. Far be it from me to object to what, under the circomstances, appears to be a privilege necessary to the ofrenmstances of the case, for it is only reasonable that those who have received concessions for the building of railways should be allowed to land the muterial at the most convenient spot: but I would ask whether the great privilege of a steamer proceeding to, and discharging at a place not allowed by treaty has been granted by the Imperial Maritime Customs or whether "French leave" has just been taken by the Russian authorities. I hear that when the Commissioner of Customs naturally demurred at allowing a Japanese steamer fordischarge outside the limits prescribed by treaty, telegraphic communication at once took place with the Russian Minister at Poking and this gentleman simply replied: "Do what is necessary with or without permission, and throw all res ponsibility upon me." Don't you think this is rather "tail," or do you suppose the Russian

ordinate to do what was asked? I would ask another question. Is this privilege to be taken as a precedent, and will Britishers or other nationalities be allowed to land cargo at other places than within the limits of the port? I presume there can be no question about this in view of the clause in the last treaties generally known as the "Favoured Nation" clause.

Minster induced the L. G. to authorise his sub-

Why not make Tankuantun a treaty port or extend the limits of the port of Newchwang as lighting to maintain the Queen's supremacy. I learn that a rather serious accident occurre pesterday in an attempt to discharge a launch weighing some 30 tons from the steamer Hang chow. The most supporting the derrick gave way, causing the death of five natives t launch being more or less damaged.—N Daily News correspondent.

NEWS VIA AUSTRALIA.

London, 28th July. It is reported from Washington that Senator Davis, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee of the United States Senate, declared that he welcomed the increasing friendliness of the relations between the two sections of the English race which was taking place under the Cape Colony. pressure of a great human evolution. THE JOEL MURDER.

During the trial of Von Velthelm on the charge of the murder of Woolf Joel, a well known South African financier, at Johannesburg, the accused admitted that he was engaged in a plot to secure a change of Government in the Transvool, with a view to enabling a foreign father, had been dismissed from the French power to intervene.

London, 28th July.

Later information from Johannesburg states that Von Veltheim was accritted on the charge of murdering Mr. Woolf Joel, but was immediately rearrested on the charge of domanding blackmail with violence. London, 20th July.

When the jury appounced their verdict equitting Von Veltheim at Johannesburg a stene of extraordinary excitement occurred Women who were in the court screamed on ling in Vienna, have passed a resolution dehearing the verdict, and immediately climbing claring that the time has now come to definitely over the benches and deaks, rushed up to the lix a minimum wage. orisoner and congratulated him on his acquittal Numbers of men displayed their enthusiasm by waving their hate and handkerchiefs, and the parymen were so overcome by emotion they shed House of Commons, has been forwarded to the

Lord Brassey, Governor of Victoria, in a pensions, letter to the Times to-day, urges that a departmental inquiry should be held into the desirability of the State subsidising the owners of sailing ships for the purpose of inducing them to train officers and men for the Royal A WESLEYAN MILLION GUINEA FUND.

The Weslevan Conference have approved o the establishment of a Million Guinea Fund out of which they propose to devote £300,000 to the endowment of places of worship, 2200,000 to the furtherance of education, £250,000 to connectional buildings in London, and £200,000 NEW CONSTITUTION FOR OREFE.

London, 30th July Advices have been received to the effect that the Cretan Assembly have accepted the provisional Constitution drawn up by the Admirals representing the European Powers. ACTION ARISING OUT OF THE TRANSVAAL RAID.

London, 31st July. News has been received that one of the men who took part in the raid into the Transvall under Dr. Jameson, and who was wounded and | Chief Secretary from the Agent General, stat-

BRITISH TORPEDO BOAT. London, Blat July,

Louden, 31st July. The international choss tournament at Vienna has been finally won by Tarrasch.

PROPOSED TERMS OF PEACE.

The United States Cabinet have informed

London, 31st July.

relinquish her sovereignty over that island, and to assent to its control by the United States until the constitution of a stable government has been effected. They will also require the cession of a coaling station in the Ladrones, and perhaps another in the Caroline Islands: In addition to this, it must be understood that the United States will not be called upon to take over the public debt of either Cabs or Puerto Rico; but, on the other hand, no war indomnity will be demanded by America. Should these demands be accepted a joint commission can be appointed to arrange the details of terms of pence, conditional upon the immediate removal of all Spanish troops from both Cuba and Puerte Rico. The United States Government reserves to itself the control of Manila, and the adjucent territory, for the present, the future of the Philippines to be discussed later on, when the Cabinet have been informed as to the obligations incurred by Admiral Devey with the insurgents. The Spanish Government are further to be informed that the demand for the cession of their territory in the West Indies and of a coaling station in the Ladrones cannot be regarded as even open to

London, lat August. The American Press, commenting on the terms of peace offered to Spain, assert that it vonid bo an act of impecility to hand back the Philippines to a state of barbarous misrule. It is stated that the American Commissioners to acrange terms of neace between the United States and Spain will probably be General Woodford (late United States Minister in Spain), Mr. R. Olney (Secretary to the Treasary in President Cleveland's late Cabinet), Mr. Tracy, and Judge Edmunds.

CONVERSION OF SCOTLAND. London, 1st August. The Pope has written to the Roman Catholic rchbishop of Scotland, urging him to use greater exertions to convert the people of cotland to the faith.

WRECK OF THE "MATAURA." London, 1st August. The Board of Trade have excuerated from blame the master of the New Zealand Shipping Company's steamer Mataura which was wrecked in the Straits of Magellan in January last, while on the voyage from Wellington to Lon-

A PERSIAN LOAN,—RUSSIAN JEALOUSY London, 2nd August It is reported in Paris that the Shah of Persia had arranged to borrow £1.250,000 from England. It is understood whou the Russian Government became aware of the Shah's intention, an order was issued paremptorily forbidding him to proceed with the proposed loan. The

London, 2nd August. The trial of Signors Deandries and Tarati, nembers of the Italian Chamber of Deputies, whose presecution, with that of Signors Pesceth and Morgari, in connection with the recent riots in Milan was some weeks ago authorised by the Chamber by a large majority, has been concluded. The accused have been sentenced to twelve years' imprisonment. GRANT TO THE WEST INDIES.

London, 3rd August. Mr. Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies: in moving in the House of Commons. for a further grant to the West Indies on lines recommended by the Sugar Commission in 1897. stated that there must necessarily be deficits in these islands until the sugar industry has been restored. He desired to treat such grants as necessary expanses of the Empire, and not as doles. The motion was carried.

London, 3rd August. In a match against Somerset, A. E. Trott, of the M.C.C., bowled eleven wickets for a total London, 4th August.

In a cricket match against Surrey. W. Gunn still uncompleted. This is the record innings of the season so far. THE CAPE ELECTIONS.

London, 3rd August. Mr. Cecil Rhodes, who is a candidate at the forthcoming Capo elections for Barkley West, the constituency originally represented by him, is prosecuting his candidature throughout the electorate. Mr. Rhodes, in a recent address, said that the Dutch were with them in the election With evident reference to a statement in a reported interview with Mr. Hdfmeyer, the leader of the Afrikander Bond, which, however, has since been denied and reaffirmed he said:- "Mr. Hofmeyer declares that my death is the only solution to his difficulties. That is quite true. If some fanatic executes his thoughts Mr. Hofmeyer will be slobbering at my funeral. I do not intend, however, to be removed from public life except by death."

London, 4th August. The political campaign now proceeding in Cape Colony is marked by very agrimonious controversies. President Kruger has publicly denied that

he is supporting any of the candidates out of the secret service fund of the Transvasl. London, 5th August. Mr. Ceoil Rhodes has shown brilliant fightng throughout his elections exing campnign in Sir J. Gordon Sprigg, the retiring Premier, has been returned to the Assembly unopposed.

-ZOLA'S TRADUCERS PINED.

London, 4th August. An article recently appeared in the Petit Journal, in which statements were made damaging to the reputation of M. Zola, and in which it was alleged that the famous novelist's Army for theft.

M. Zola thereupon took proceedings for defamation, and judgment was given to-day, the writer of the article being fined 2,000 fraucs (£80) and the manager and publisher of the journal 500 france each, whilst the three together were ordered to pay 5,000 frances as dam-A MINIMUM WAGE.

The Miners' International Congress, now sit-London, 31st July A petition, signed by 122 members of the

London, 4th August.

Government, asking them to introduce legisla-Mon in littly for the fallilment of the pleases London, 29th July a leady given for the establishment of old-ago London, 5th Angust In the House of Commons last night, Mr. A Balfour First Lord of the Treasury, said that the Government would give the question of old age pensions its immediate and anxious consideration, with a view to future report.

> A NEW ADMINISTRATOR OF BRITISH NEW GUINEA. London, 5th August. Mr. George Ruthyon Le Runte, at present Colonial Secretary of Mauritius, has been selected to succeed Sir William MacGregor as Administrator of British New Guines. THE PACIFIC CABLE.

> London, 4th August. The Daily News this morning, in on article on the Pacific cable, exports the friends of the scheme, and especially the Premiers of Queeusland and New Zealand, to bestir themselves in order to prevent the matter being quietly London, 4th August

The Canadian Government is indisposed to endorse the offer made some time ago to defray one third of the cost of the Paville cable. Brisbane, 5th August. On July 21 a telegram was received by the

aubsequently imprisoned, has brought an action | ing that five Canadian Ministers of the Crown against the South African Chartered Company, I were then in London, and their views were He sued the company for damages on the friendly, but indefinite, on the subject of the ground that tales representations were made as proposed Pacific cable. Sir Horace Tozer said to the object of the raid, which was stated to be he believed the Canadian Government would sufficient protection to our property and our lies our lies ports, left Port Darwin on the 25th inst, was riven for the claiming our lies ports, left Port Darwin on the 25th inst, was riven for the claiming for 2500. Imperial Secretary of State would not move in the matter until Canada and Australesia had News is to hand that a first class Reitish | agreed, nor would Britain contribute more than Corpodo boat has been wronger and a second by the boat of the second beat with the second bea

Australian Governments. It is understood the Queensland Premier, Mr. name of the place or the date, but I vouch for Byrues, is strongly in favour of the schome lits truth. Coming as a complete stranger to a being carried out.

#### SPORT AND ANECDOTE. By An OLD Fogey.

MERRY MITCHAM Somewhere or other I have just been reading that the Mitcham School Board is to be asked to provide boxing gloves for the boy scholars,

and when I came across that (to me) delightful items of news I am bound to confess that a chuckle, long and hearty, escaped me. How very easy it is to imagine the Mrs. Grundies of the sterner holding up their hands in "holy horror and pions wrath" at the bare mention of such extravagance with the public money Tut-tut-tut! one can imagine them ejaculating. Hoitytoity, and what next? Meanwhile I am doubting whether the problematic boon to the boys will become an accomplished fact. Before this innovation is brought about, no end of fussy protests and paltry prejudices will have to be overcome, unless indeed. Mitchem is the one truly enlightened spot in the British Isles. We all know, of course, how famous it has become in the cricketing world by reason of the good man and true who have been associated in their earlier days with the club that has made Mitcham, Green one of the most celebrated cricket awards to be found in the whole length and breadth of the country. How delightfully Fred Gale-whom the saints preserve-used to that about Mitcham in one of the sporting papers but a few years ago! How pleased the earlier Australian teams used to be to get a few days serious practice on the glorious green before commencing their tour of the English counties. And how religiously its old asociations are guarded and treasured Should" The (dear) Old Buffer" come acros this tit-bit relating the Mitchem, why, I really believe he would at once offer to provide th first set of gloves out of his own private purse, even if he had to send them on to England from Canada, where, I believe, he is spending the autumn of a busy life. Happy Mitcham To those, like myself, who believe boxing to be a desirable accomplishment, a splendid exercise an invigorating recreation, a robust pastime that goes to improve one morally as well as physically, the announcement that the Mitcham School Board has acceded to the request will be halled with delight. To those of the scholars who are strong and healthy already it will bring added strength, while the benefits which will accrue to the weak and norvous are incalculable. It may be that there are plenty of grown-up men amongst us to-day able to boast of going right through their school and college days without having once engaged in a "merry mill," but for every one of these, ter at least would probably be found who would arample will be followed east, west, north, and

south. For goodness sake give us more boxing

gloves and fewer cheap and nasty revolvers.

SCHOOLBOY HONOUR. Many a sun has risen and set, many a moon has waxed and waned—as the phrase goes—since I first read the delightful little book bearing the above alluring title. Maybap I should not doom it a waste of time were I to peruse its pages once again, fogey as I am, for there is nothing more delightful amongst the fleeting pleasures of this work-s-day world than to live over again the joyons scenes of one's youth Ah, me! Did you ever, reader mine, give your | 23rd August, Amoy 24th, and Swatow 25th, self up for a good long bour to the fascination of retrospection? If you have, you will agree that in this short space of time one can live such a deal of his life o'er again, if at all fancy free. Schoolboy honour! Who is there, wonder, to day who has not rejoiced when the new boy made his appearance at achool—the new boy from the country with his honest, chubby, sensie face and shapely limbs-and challenged the school champion—the "bully" is the torm, of course—to combat? If, at my mature age, it were possible to atone for the many impish, mischievous freaks of my school days by confession, the words should be written right here, as the Yankees say. Anyhow, this Mitcham enterprise has started a train of thought it is difficult to smother, and so I ramble on. If you have ever read this little book on Schoolboy Honour, do you remember how gleefully you scanned the incident where the gruff gamekeeper comes across one of the boys from the neighbouring school in a tangled path, and how advoitly the youngster slips the ogre as he makes a blind rush to effect a rapture? What fun it was to read of the slip bry swerve, and the gamekeeper going headlong in a prickly bramble bush! But of all the books dealing with school life that have ever been written noue in my hamble opinion came up to those of Dean (now Bishop) Farrar. "Eric, or Little by Little," "St. Winifreds," and "Julian Home," will probably live as long as "Tom Brown's School Days," and I can say this as one of the most sincere admirers of Judge Hughes-always one of Nature's gentlemen. But Bishop Farrar was not above pourtraying school life as it existed then, and, I will add, as it will always exist. We do not want all the goody-goody and none of the mischief given us to-day any more than we did in my far-off. school-days, and when it is proposed that boxing-gloves shall be provided for all our schools I shall be one of the first, I trust, to utter a fervent "hear, hear."

IMPRESSIONS PROM BOOKS. That we have made gient strides in the matter of literature during the post quarter of a century is indisputable, and more especially, perhaps, has this been the case with the cheaper kinds, but while we have more healthy and cheaper periodicals for the young than had our fathers I am almost inclined to think that we have also many more questionable publications. Harrison Ainsworth'e "Rookwood" will always have a fascination for boys, and so I suppose will " Paul Clifford." A casual glance at env of the cheaper newspaper emporiums, however, will show that there are plenty of the "Dick-Turpin" and "Jack Sheppard" yarns being spun to-day. To return to my original topic, I should like to say that vanning back over the books I read in my youth and connecting them with my subject, I think the story told of a real stand-up fight by Lord Lytton in his "Kenelm Chillingley," comes freshest and breeziest to the mind as I write. In that description of an encounter between the hero and the brawny blacksmith, in which the Titanic strength of the one had to give way to the desterous blow of the other delivered scientifically. Unless my memory plays me false, these gladiators afterwards because the blacksmith had been subdued by as adverbary who was chivalrous as well as scientific. In advocating that our schoolboys should be taught the rudiments of boxing, it is not neces. sary that the modern professor should be intro-duced. They may be in their way—some of them at any rate—decent fellows enough, but that is an element that may easily by evolued.

Physical education furturately, is receiving more encouragement in our schools every day, and where the teachers papel in many branches of gymnastics it would surely be no difficult matter to got them to give the toys a few plementary lessons. But that is a topic to be

coast with more saverly at some fature time.

ALL THE FUN OF THE FAIR. By and by I may take occasion to refer to

"la savate"-a French exercise for which a romaining four-ninths. This inquiry is now here let me introduce a bit of sport I once oureceiving the consideration of the different joyed at a fair. It happened a long, long time ago, and there is no need for me to specify the place of some importance to fulfil an engagement on an important journal in the provinces, I thought it would be an experience out of the ordinary to visit the annual fair then in pro-Boxing always had a fascination for me, and I used to devour the descriptions of the big matches most assidnously. Jem Mace and Tom King were the earliest heroes I can call to mind and after these I remember Joe Goss-who ha the honour of leading a noted Derby winner back to the paddock, if I remember aright—Tom-Allen, and lesser lights in "Posh" Price, Jim Stewart, Alf. Greenfield, "Tug" Wilson, Prussian," etc., etc. Do not tuen up your nose at my tastes, dear reader, it was my desire

to see as much of the one side of sport as the other, and I do not know that I have ever come to any harm through it. To continue, I had watched the modern gladiators come out in front of the canvas-roofed booth heard them make night hideous with their diabolical rattles, and had been allured more than once to the interior to witness tustles of more or less severity with the gloves. | Here I must again pause to remark that it requires unusual powers of physical endurance on the part of these " professors " to bustle through twenty or thirty bonts, and often more between noon and ten or eleven o'clock at night. Only well-trained men could do the work. Then came a lull in the proceedings, and with all the audacity imag inable one of the troupe invited me to step into the ring for a genteel three rounds! At first I was amazed at the man's impudence, and then amused. Somehow I felt a longing to show that self and " mittens" were no strangers, and without scarce realising the fact I was inside the roped square and doffing hat and coat in the space of a few seconds, while the audience betrayed a lively interest in the affair. A young fellow about my own ago and size took the opposite corner, and after, a few words of agreement had passed between us that it was to be a friendly spar, we entered into the fun of the thing with rare gusto. Since that time

the thought has often crossed my mind as k what might have happened had I been recognised. Happily, all passed off well, and at this length of time I believe I can conscientionaly say that I gave as well as received: Then the managers notually went round amongst the spectators with our hats and collected prize money for our display! This, I am bound to say, was generously proffered had we cared to receive it. "Clean, rough towels were handed to us, and I can see as plainly as 'twere but yesterday my hat being smoothed with a silk scarf of gorgeous hues before being handed over again. There was a rough and ready courtesy displayed upon that occasion that has toned down many a bitter thought and sentence since. It was our fault entirely that the collection went into the hands of the management, let the recall many a little "affair of honour." If motive have been what it may. At the time Mitcham will only set the ball rolling, I'll I would not have had the incident known The combined ACCIDENT and LIFE highest Class at Lloyds; as she now lies guarantee to say that in less than a year its ontside the booth for anything, but Time POEICY is the MOST ADVANTAGEOUS stranded on the South East Promontory of the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily balance. works wonders.

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THE PERMIT MAIL. The M. M. steamer Lacs, with the French mail of the 29th ultimo, left Saigon to-day, the 27th instant, at 5 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 30th instant. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 18th June. THE AMBRICAN MAIL The O. & O. steamer Astec. with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Yokohama. Inland Sea, Kobe, and Nagasaki on the 4th ON

instant. The O. & O. steamer Doric, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu, Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki, and Shanghai, on the 13th instant. THE CANADIAN MAIL. The C. P. R. steamer Empress of Japan left

Vanconver for Yokohama on Monday, the On Bombay. 22nd instant. THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL. The C. N. Co.'s steamer Taiyuan, from Australian Ports, left Port Darwin on the 20th by the HONGKONG AND SHANG- instant, and may be expected here on or about

MEBCHANT STRAMERS. The N. P. steamer Mogul sailed from Port. land for Japan and Hongkong on the 7th The N. P. steamer Victoria sailed from Tacoma for Japan and Hongkong on the 22nd

The steamer Glenshiel, from Middlesborough London, and Straits, left Singapore for this port on Thursday, the 25th instant.
The N. Y. K. steamer Yamagucki Maru (American Line), left Shimonoseki for this port on the 22nd instant and is expected to arrive here on the 27th instant. The N. Y. K. steamer Milke Maru (bombay Line) left Singapore for this port on the 24th instant, and is expected to arrive here on the 30th instant.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Menelaus, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 22nd instant. and may be expected here on or about Sunday. The steamer Ghazce, from New York, left Singapore on the 22nd instant, and is expected. here on Sunday, the 28th instant. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Antenor, from

Liverpool, left Singapore on the 24th instant and may be expected here on or about Monday, the 29th instant. . The East Asiatic steamer Cathay, from Copenhagen, Gothenburg, and Antwerp, passed the Canal on the 4th instant, and may be considered due at Singapore on or about the 31st

The H. A. L. steamer Alesia, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on the 25th instant, and may be expected here on or about Hongkong Electric ... The N. G. I. steamer Bormida left Bombay Hongkong Hotel for this port on the 15th instant, and may be expected here about the 3rd proximo. The C. N. Co.'s steamer Tsinan, from Australian Ports, left Port Darwin on the 25th

instant, and may be expected here on or about Saturday, the 3rd proximo. The Mutual steamer Canfa, from Swansea and Liverpool, passed the Canal about 19th inst., and may be considered due at Singapore on or about the 7th proxime.

PASSED THE CANAL. OUTWARD .- 5th Aug .- Formora, Monmouthshire. Kwangse. 9th Aug.-Girin, Indralema. 12th Aug.-Natal, Flintshire, Undaunted. 16th August-Johny Sanderson, Wittenburg. 19th August—Canton, 23rd August-Ulysses, Nurnberg, Ningpo. HOMEWARD. - August 23rd - Shanghai, Della, St. Ninian.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

The Postal Guide for 1898, revised to date will be found in the Chronicle and Directory. P. XXI. This is the only authorised completed Hongkoug.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is corrected to a much later hour than that given below.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Nagasaki and Vladivostock.-Pe Szechuen, to-day, the 27th inst., at 9.30 A.M. For Shanghai.-Per Loongmoon, to day, the 27th instant, at 10.00 A.M. For Hollow and Haiphong.—Per Hanoi, tolay, the 27th instant, at 10.00 A.M. For Samarang and Sourabays.—Per Hupch, to-day, the 27th instant, at 10.00 A.M. For Singapore, Batavia, Samarang, and Sourabaya.—Per Amara, to-day, the 27th instant, at 10.00 A.M. For Swatow and Amoy.—Per Pakshan, today, the 27th instant, at 10.00 A.M. For Singapore.—Per Propontia, to-day, the 27th instant, at 1.30 P.M.

Patna Old...... For Manile.-Per Verona, to-day, the 27th instant, at 230 PM. For Yokohama and Kobe.—Per Maroa, today, the 27th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Singapore.-Per Arabia, to-day, the 27th instant, at 4,00 P.M. For Delagoa Bay, Durban, East London, Port Elizabeth and Cape Town.—Per Crown of Arragon, to-day, the 27th instant, at 5.00 For Swatow and Shanghai.-Per Choysang, on Monday, the 20th instant, at 1.30 r.M.

For Singapore.—Por Prometheus, on Monday, 29th instant, at 2.30 P.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama.-Per Vladivostock. Tokio Moru, on Monday, the 29th instant, at | For Kobe, Yokohama and Vladivostock .-Per Ghazee, on Tuesday, the 30th instant, at For Singapore, Ponang and Calcutta.-Pe Catherine Apcar, on Tuesday, the 36th instant, at 2.00 P.M. For Tientsin.—Per Tuksang, on Wednesday,

the 31st instant, at 1.30 P.M. For Singapore, Penang and Colombo.—Per Tosa Maru, on Thursday, the 1st proximo, at For Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama.—Per | Cape S. James. Bohilla, on Saturday, the 3rd prox., at 4.30 P.M. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Ernest Simons will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 27th instant, with Mails to the United Kingdom. Europe, and places beyond, via Marscilles to Saigon, Straits Settlements. Batavia, Burmah, Ceylor, Madras, the Australasian Colonies, Adon, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and

8.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Current and Cir culare ceases. 10,00 A.M.—Registry ceases. 10.30 A.M.—Papers. 11.00 A.M.—Mail closes. Late letters 11.10 11.30. Extra postage 10 cents.

MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACKET. The Canadian Mail Packet Empress of India will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 31st instant, with Mails for Shanghai, Nagasaki Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., which will be closed as follows:-

10.00 A.M. Registry ceases. 11.00 A.M. Post Office closes, but correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late. Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

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EMILY F. WHITNY, Brit. ship, Pendleton-Carlowitz & Co. Gov. Bonze, Amer. ship, Colcord-Standard IdiDono Pone, Spanish str., Roses-Order. KELAT, Brit, ship, Hughes-Standard Oil Co. Kierna, British ship, Smith-Cantain. MARIE JEESEN, Ger. str., J. C. Matthiessen-Jebsen & Co. MARY I. CUSHING, Amer. ship, Pendleton-

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COMMERCIAL CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

THURSDAY, 26th August. exchange. On London.— Bank Bills, on demand ...... 1/11 Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight ..... 1/11 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight ... 1/11 Credits, at 4 months' sight ...... 1/11 Documentary Bills, 4months sight 1/11 Paris.-Bank Bills, on demand ......2.43 ON GERMANY. ON NEW YORK.-Bank Bills, on demand ......... 464 ON CALCUTTA.--On Shanghal.— 

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